



ADVERTISING WINNERS

Best Advertising Idea

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*

Carrie Pitzer & Angelique Boyer, *Into The Future*

SECOND PLACE

Henderson Independent, *Henderson, MN*

Rachel Miller, *Congratulations on a Star performance!*

THIRD PLACE

Gazebo Gazette, *Pass Christian, MS*

Hunter Dawkins, *Rotary Club of Pass Christian: A Century of Service*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*

Isabelle Kern, *Subscriber Appreciation*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Advertising Idea

Non-daily Division, circ. more than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Jason Rodriguez, *Father's Day Photo Contest*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Mike Anderson, *Nittolo's 2 for \$20.23*

THIRD PLACE

The News-Gazette, *Lexington, VA*

Matt Paxton, *Shop Local, Shop Small*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Laura Martin, *Voices of Taos Podcast*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Advertorial or Sponsored Editorial

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Brentwood Press, *Brentwood, CA*

Anne Ray, Heather Mariano, Eric Kinnaird - Graphic Designers, *Senior Helpers Advertorial*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Jason Rodriguez, Paul Gutches, *Success Stories*

THIRD PLACE

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*

J. Brian Monihan, *Bill Warner Tribute*

HONORABLE MENTION

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*

Melanie Thornton, Tana Hunter, Maddie Spera, *Best Sponsored Advertorial_PCP Nov_Jim Mueller-People to Know*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Classified Section

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Jason Plowman, *Classified Section*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Mary Chavez, Sean Linton, Jasmine Struck, *Taos News Classified Sections*

THIRD PLACE

Gazebo Gazette, *Pass Christian, MS*
Hunter Dawkins, *The Gazebo Gazette Classified Pages*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Leigh Pagan, *Ark Classifieds*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Holiday Ad

Daily/Non-daily Division less than 5000

FIRST PLACE

Fairbury Journal News, *Fairbury, NE*
Jennifer Lewis, *Merry Crispness*

SECOND PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Angelique Boyer, *Father's Day*

THIRD PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *Pumpkin festival*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Holiday Ad

Daily/Non-daily Division, circ. more than 5000

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Jason Rodriguez, *Give the gift of the outdoors*

SECOND PLACE

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*
Staff, *2023 Holiday*

THIRD PLACE

The N'West Iowa REVIEW, *Sheldon, IA*
Elizabeth Myers, *REVIEW-Best Holiday Ad2*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Brittany Chaney, *Happy Thanksgiving*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Jason Plowman, *Holiday ads*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Multiple Advertiser Section

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*

Park Cities People, *Best Multiple Advertiser Section_PCP Football Preview*

SECOND PLACE

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*

Park Cities People, *Best Multiple Advertiser Section_STEAM-*

THIRD PLACE

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*

Park Cities People, *Best Multiple Advertiser Section_20 Under 40_April PCP*

HONORABLE MENTION

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*

Preston Hollow People, *Best Multiple Advertiser Section_PHP_Football Preview*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Multiple Advertiser Section

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 5,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Staff, *Greatest of the Grande 2023 Winners Section*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Jackson Hole Creative Services Team, *Business Focus - New and Changing Businesses in Jackson Hole*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Isabel Pena, Jason Rodriguez, *Taos Map*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Cris Brisbin, *Enchanted Circle Map*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Multiple Advertiser Section

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 5000

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Henriette Corn, Emily Lavin, Staff, *Home, spring 2023*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Henriette Corn, Emily Lavin, Staff, *Home - Fall 2023*

THIRD PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
John Adams, Bob Sutton, & Staff, *2023 Alamance County High School Football Preview Special Section*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, *Honoring Years in Business*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Newspaper Promotion

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Chris Wood, *Uniquely Taos*

SECOND PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher, *800,000+ Photo Reprints*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Chris Wood, *Land Water People Time*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Jason Rodriguez, *Testimonials*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Public Notice Section

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Daily Washington Law Reporter, *Baltimore, MD*
Donald J. Nichols, *Daily Washington Law Reporter*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Mary Chavez, Sean Linton, *Taos News Public Notice Section*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Leigh Pagan, Kevin Hessel, *Public notices*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Real Estate Ad

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Jason Rodriguez, *Let us show you the beauty of Taos*

SECOND PLACE

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*

Kelli Lair, staff, *Terry Sprague - Luxes - Forbes*

THIRD PLACE

Harlan News-Advertiser, *Harlan, IA*

Marissa Wingert, *Osborn Realty, Commercial Building for Sale*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Chronicle, *Chester, NY*

Christina Scotti, *Riverside on the Delaware*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Restaurant Ad

Daily/Non-daily Division, circ., 5,000 - 9,999

FIRST PLACE

The N'West Iowa REVIEW, *Sheldon, IA*
Kira Spaans, *REVIEW-Best Restaurant Ad2*

SECOND PLACE

Sparta Independent, *Chester, NY*
Christina Scotti and Kayla Hartigan, *Industry*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Jason Rodriguez, S'zanne Reynolds, *Taos Inn*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
S'zanne Reynolds, Jason Rodriguez, *Gorge Bar and Grill and Parcht*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Restaurant Ad

Daily/Non-daily Division, circ., less than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Isabelle Kern, *Capriotti's*

SECOND PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *Bozeman Trail Steakhouse*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Sales Promotion Section or Edition

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Henriette Corn, Emily Lavin, Staff, *Holiday Guide*

SECOND PLACE

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Staff, *Small Business Showcase*

THIRD PLACE

Harlan News-Advertiser, *Harlan, IA*
Marissa Wingert, *Prime of Life Special Section*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
John Adams, Bob Sutton, & Staff, *2023 Alamance County High School Football Preview Special Section*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Series Ad Idea, Black & White

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Angelique Boyer, *McIntosh Jewelry*

SECOND PLACE

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Zoe Cooper, Byron McConnell, *Al & Riley's Air Conditioning & Sheet Metal, Inc.*

THIRD PLACE

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Zoe Cooper, Byron McConnell, *J. Warren Funeral Services*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Series Ad Idea, Color

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Angelique Boyer & Carrie Pitzer, *Stealth Broadband*

SECOND PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Stanton State Bank*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Chris Wood, *Athlete of the Week*

HONORABLE MENTION

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Wiley Acheson, Byron McConnell, *Crossroads Auto Center*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Single Ad Idea, Black & White

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*
Amy Menerey, *Totes for Hope*

SECOND PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Isabelle Kern, *Chambers Funeral Home*

THIRD PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Isabelle Kern, *Electronic Vehicles of Iowa*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Isabelle Kern, *Artist's Vault*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Single Ad Idea, Black & White

Non-daily Division, circ. more than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Jason Rodriguez, *Apothecary*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Jason Rodriguez, *David Douglas*

THIRD PLACE

Maricopa Monitor, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Nick Arnold, *Boys & Girls Club of the Sun Corridor*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Jason Plowman, *Aaron's Piano*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Single Ad Idea, Color

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Angelique Boyer, *Explosive Speed*

SECOND PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *First Northern Bank*

THIRD PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
John Adams, *Grill 584*

HONORABLE MENTION

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *Sports Lure*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Single Ad Idea, Color

Non-daily Division, circ. more than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*

Melanie Thornton, Quita Johnson, *Best Single Ad Color Ad_Oct PCP LennoxMiller*

SECOND PLACE

Brentwood Press, *Brentwood, CA*

Eric Kinnaird, Anne Ray, Heather Mariano - Graphic Designers, *Pittsburg Chamber 9-1-2023*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

S'zanne Reynolds, *La Tierra Mineral*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Brittany Chaney, *Fred Miller's Unique Gifts*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Small-Page Ad

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. more than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Jason Rodriguez, S'zanne Reynolds, *Taos Inn*

SECOND PLACE

Photo News, *Chester, NY*

Kayla Hartigan, *Mechi's*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Mike Anderson, *Knot Just A Bar Polish Christmas Dinner*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Brittany Chaney, *Fred Miller's Unique Gifts*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Small-Page Ad

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Angelique Boyer, *Beef. It Made Us Famous.*

SECOND PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Pierce Strudler, *Get It Done Now*

THIRD PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *Legacy Diamonds*

HONORABLE MENTION

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
Alisha Carver, *Black and White Ball*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Use of Ad Color

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Mike Anderson, *Kids Fishing Day*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Heather Haseltine, *Does your Dog or Cat Need a Job?*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Jason Plowman, *Falcon Roofing*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Jason Plowman, *LLCA Bridgewalk*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Use of Local Photography in Ads

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Journal-News, *Hillsboro, IL*
Mike Plunkett, *Tosetti's Good News Page*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Brittany Chaney, *High School*

THIRD PLACE

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*
Staff, *Once a Pacer, Always a Pacer*

HONORABLE MENTION

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Zoe Cooper, Byron McConnell, *Casa Grande Union High School District*



EDITORIAL WINNERS

Best Front Page Design

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Deborah Hile, *The scientist and the spy*

SECOND PLACE

The Wyoming Truth, *Laramie, WY*
Staff, *The Wyoming Truth, Front Page Design*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Front Page Design

Non-daily Division, circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*

David Hartong, *August 10 Farm and Dairy front*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Dannie Oliveaux, *Big money Beaumont*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Front Page Design

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Staff, *Taos News front page, June 29, 2023*

SECOND PLACE

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*
Staff, *Lake Oswego Review - 2023 graduation*

THIRD PLACE

College Park Here & Now, *College Park, MD*
Ashley Perks, Valerie Morris, *College Park Here & Now July 2023 Cover*

HONORABLE MENTION

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Ashley Perks, *September 2023 Hyattsville Life & Times*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Front Page Design

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *Best Front Page Design*

SECOND PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Morgan Jacobson, Emily Ingco, Julio Rodriguez, Juan H. Estrada, Yanelli Z. Robles, *Front Page Design*

THIRD PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Pierce Strudler, *Issue of Sept. 1*

HONORABLE MENTION

Rockwall County Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
Kent Miller, *FRONT PAGE DESIGN - Friday, December 1, 2023 Rockwall County Herald-Banner*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Front Page Design

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Kevin Hessel, *The Ark - Sept 20*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Kevin Hessel, *The Ark - Dec 27*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Kevin Hessel, *The Ark - Feb 22*

HONORABLE MENTION

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Staff, *Steele County Times Front Page*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Front Page Design

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*
Amy Menerey, *News Letter Journal*

SECOND PLACE

Royse City Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
Warren Morrison, *Front Page Royse City*

THIRD PLACE

The Journal, *Crosby, ND*
Cecile Wehrman, *Feb. 8, May 17, Aug. 16*

HONORABLE MENTION

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Connor Choate, *Inching closer - Marietta Monitor*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Informational Graphic

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Angelique Boyer, *Two Of A Kind*

SECOND PLACE

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Staff, *Best info graphic – thermometer*

THIRD PLACE

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Anabel Ulloa, *Cotton in Love County through the years*

HONORABLE MENTION

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Anabel Ulloa, *ODOT Plan*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Informational Graphic

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Kevin Hessel, *Belvedere Challenge fun run tackles city's walking lanes*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Kevin Hessel, *Tiburon sees lowest levels of crime in four decades*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Kevin Hessel, *Cougar tracked deep into Tiburon*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Informational Graphic

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *Johnson County ag by the numbers*

SECOND PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Stacy Bronson, *First time home buying by the numbers*

THIRD PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Razylin M. Avendano, *Accidental Drug Medication Deaths*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Journal-News, *Hillsboro, IL*
Kyle Herschelman, *Redskins, Pirates Put On a Show*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Informational Graphic

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Andy Edwards, *Taxi fares*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Paul Gutches, *Town of Taos Council Election*

THIRD PLACE

Sparta Independent, *Chester, NY*
Christina Scotti, *'Bigots' vs. 'Groomers'*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Paul Gutches, *Impact of Avian Flu on price of eggs*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Informational Graphic

Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Township Journal, *Chester, NY*
Christina Scotti, *The Bully System*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Brittany Chaney, *Halloween happenings*

THIRD PLACE

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*
David Hartong, *Safety tips for Ohio's fall wildfire season*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Online Album or Slide Show

Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Connor Choate, *The Thrill & Agony*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Liam DeBonis, *Questa celebrates Homecoming with football victory*

THIRD PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Mark Ridolfi, *Kindergarten Queen*

HONORABLE MENTION

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Connor Choate & Anabel Ulloa, *Best photos of 2023*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reader-Generated Campaign

Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Oakland Independent, *Oakland, IL*
Janice Hunt, *News Travels*

SECOND PLACE

Moonshine Ink, *Truckee, CA*
Marianne Porter, *Uniquely First*

THIRD PLACE

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*
J. Brian Monihan, *Holiday Cheer - Lake Oswego Review*

HONORABLE MENTION

Hooker County Tribune, *Mullen, NE*
Gerri Peterson, *The Vacationer*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reporting on Local Government

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Noah Zahn, *Burns community members ashamed of their town council*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Caitlin Yamada, *Deadline missed*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reporting on Local Government

Non-daily Division circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*
Mike W. Ray, *Boynton Town Audit*

SECOND PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*
Mike W. Ray, *All 4 officials indicted over asphalt plant plead to reduced charges and sentenced*

THIRD PLACE

Opinion-Tribune, *Glenwood, IA*
Joe Foreman, *Future of PJ Fire Department in limbo following resignations*

THIRD PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*
Mike W. Ray, *Cotton County Officials engulfed in scandal*

HONORABLE MENTION

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Rob Dump, *Local Govt reporting - Nuisance house*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reporting on Local Government

Non-daily Division circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

Fort Bend Herald & Texas Coaster, *Rosenberg, TX*
Scott Reese Willey, *THEY SWIPE A LOT*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Kevin Hessel, Francisco Martinez, Deirdre McCrohan, Katherine Martine, Hemananthani Sivanandam, *Cities, residents balk at new California housing laws*

THIRD PLACE

Harlan News-Advertiser, *Harlan, IA*
Renée Brich, Elizabeth A. Elliott, *EMS as an essential service series*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Green River Star, *Green River, WY*
Hannah Romero, *Concerns over the BLM's RMP*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reporting on Local Government

Non-daily Division circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Jeff Simms, Brian PJ Cronin, Leonard Sparks, *Beacon: Then, Now and How*

SECOND PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
Tomas Murawski, *Remote voting: when is it allowed?*

THIRD PLACE

The Standard Banner, *Jefferson City, TN*
Mark Brown, *City's use of eminent domain for recreation land*

HONORABLE MENTION

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Seth Taylor, *Small towns struggle to secure federal funds*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reporting on Local Government

Non-daily Division circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Sparta Independent, *Chester, NY*
Becca Tucker, *'It was 100% vengeful,' 'Bigots' vs. 'Groomers'*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Sophia Boyd-Fliegel, *Fire Chief Jellie*

THIRD PLACE

Moonshine Ink, *Truckee, CA*
Alex Hoeft, *Many 'Could's' and 'Should's' Loom Over Multi-Agency Land Swap*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Geoffrey Plant, *Who owns Taos Plaza?*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Reporting on Local Government

Non-daily Division circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Jennifer Johnson, *Community In Crisis*

SECOND PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*
Andrew Guckes, *Development of Ketchum's interim and permanent building ordinance*

THIRD PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*
Emily Bader, *Lewiston struggles to answer housing demands*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Dannie Oliveaux, *Kountze city administrator terminated*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Use of a Double-Truck

Non-Daily Division, circ. less than 4,000

FIRST PLACE

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
RJ Morgan, Matt Adelman, *State champions*

SECOND PLACE

Powell Tribune, *Powell, WY*
Mark Davis, *State track champions*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Kevin Hessel, *Spring cookbooks*

HONORABLE MENTION

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Stanton Register Staff, *Undefeated Season*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Use of a Double-Truck

Non-Daily Division, circ. over 6,000

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*

Andy Edwards, *Top climbing ranger retires after 30 years of high drama*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Chad Cooper, Brittany Chaney, *Convo with Collective Soul*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Brittany Chaney, *Rodeo*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Best Use of Social Media for Breaking News

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Geoffrey Plant, John Miller, Heather Owen, *Shootout in Red River*

SECOND PLACE

Columbia Gorge News, *Columbia, OR*
Staff, *Active Shooter*

THIRD PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher, Jacob Kessler, Writer, *Local Pastor's Charges Dropped*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher, *Suspect Found Dead*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Civic - Community Service Award

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Paul Gutches, Michael Tashji, *Tradiciones*

SECOND PLACE

The Paper, *Morganton, NC*
Staff, *Debate of the Confederate Monument in Morganton*

THIRD PLACE

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Rob Dump, *Community Service - Vets Memorial*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Cadet, *Yorktown, VA*
Cadet Russell Crouch '24, Cadet Dylan Palmer '24, Cadet Cody Bartmann '25, Cadet Jackson Creach '25, Cadet Adam Cioffi II '26, and
Cadet Alex Dieffenbach '26, *Saving Freedom of Speech for the Virginia Military Institute Community*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Humorous Column

Daily/Non-daily circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

The Pilot, *Southern Pines, NC*
John Nagy, *One Emergency!*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Bruce Miller, *We have a few questions for you to answer*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Humorous Column

Daily/Non-daily circ. 5,000 - 9,999

FIRST PLACE

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Bill Coates, *Bunnies choose salad cover soup*

SECOND PLACE

The Chronicle, *Chester, NY*
Beth Quinn, *Strange vibrations in the night*

THIRD PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Sarah Squires, *Riverton Ranger Real Baby*

HONORABLE MENTION

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Bill Coates, *Rough forest road*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Humorous Column

Daily/Non-daily under 5,000

FIRST PLACE

The Paper, *Morganton, NC*

Allen VanNoppen, *Show and tell and the demise of Mrs. Allen*

SECOND PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*

Carrie Pitzer, *Queen of the Latrine*

THIRD PLACE

The County Chronicle, *Tuscola, IL*

David Porter, *Artificial Intelligence*

HONORABLE MENTION

Versailles Leader-Statesman, *Versailles, MO*

Bryan E. Jones, *Nickels and Sense - Terminological Inexactitudes and Other Truths*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Serious Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 12,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Pilot, *Southern Pines, NC*

John Nagy, *Living in Man's World, Mom Found a Place*

SECOND PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Andrew Guckes, *Nightmare in the Woods: Stranded Family Saved by Hikers in the Frank Church Wilderness*

THIRD PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*

Mark Segal, *Hope for the future*

HONORABLE MENTION

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Nick Hytrek, *Refugees leave behind family*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Serious Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-11,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Paul W. Hansen, *Common Ground column*

SECOND PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Griffin Limerick, *Prioritize teachers, not technology, for improved education outcomes*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Meakalia Previch-Liu, *Sending aloha, pule to Hawaii*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Ned Seaton, *The intermittent grief*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Serious Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Erin M. Gentz, *Eldridge Library*

SECOND PLACE

The Journal-News, *Hillsboro, IL*
Mary (Galer) Herschelman, *A Grace-Filled Journey*

THIRD PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Brian PJ Cronin, *Out There: The Buried Streams of Beacon*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Stowe Boyd, *Wide Angle: The Trouble With Toilets*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Serious Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

The Paper, *Morganton, NC*

Marty Queen, *Burke woman views Confederate monument as a memorial to devastation*

SECOND PLACE

The Paper, *Morganton, NC*

Angela Kuper Copeland, *Know the candidates, weight the issues, vote!*

THIRD PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*

Carrie Pitzer, *First Holiday As A Widow*

HONORABLE MENTION

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*

Don Armes, *This Is Where The Cowboy Rides Away. So Long, Crutcher's*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Sports Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Nick Hytrek, *Little Brown Jug rivalry resumes*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Sports Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Zach DeLoach, *It's time to hop on the women's hoops bandwagon*

SECOND PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Joey Asher, *Reporter's Notebook: Trout Still Live in Clove Creek*

THIRD PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Molly Absolon, *Mountainside column*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Bill Tubbs, *CyHawk Week*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Column - Best Sports Column

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

Uinta County Herald, *Evanston, WY*

Don Cogger, *The world needs more Sams*

SECOND PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*

Sonja Karp, *Karpe Dogie*

THIRD PLACE

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*

Dave Wedeward, *Dynamic Dozen highlights memorable home football game*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Headline Writing

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Taos News editorial staff, *Taos News best headline editions*

SECOND PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*

Staff, *Issues of April 28 and Sept. 15*

THIRD PLACE

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*

Rob Dump, *Best headline writing - April 12 Sept 6*

HONORABLE MENTION

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*

Sarah Squires, Marit Gookin, *Riverton Ranger headline writing*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Local News Coverage

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Mark Dee, Greg Foley, and staff, *Idaho Mountain Express Local News Coverage*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Taos News editorial staff, *Taos News best local news coverage editions*

THIRD PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*

Griffin Limerick, Heather Wright, Ashley Perks, *July 2023 Hyattsville Life & Times*

HONORABLE MENTION

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*

WTE staff, *Wyoming Tribune Eagle, Best Local News Coverage*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Local News Coverage

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
Staff, *Best Local News Coverage - The Alamance News*

SECOND PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Staff, *Riverton Ranger local news coverage*

THIRD PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Staff, *Issues of April 28 and Sept. 15*

HONORABLE MENTION

Westfield Leader, *Westfield, NJ*
Lauren S. Barr, David B. Corbin, Suzette F. Stalker, Katie Moen, *Best Local News*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Local News Coverage

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*
Staff, *Best Local News Cover September 20 2023*

SECOND PLACE

The Journal, *Crosby, ND*
Staff, *April 12 and Sept. 20*

THIRD PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*
Staff, *News Letter Journal*

HONORABLE MENTION

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Staff, *Best Local News Coverage*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Use of Photographs

Daily/Non-daily circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
WTE staff, *Use of Photographs, WTE, July 28-29, 2023*

SECOND PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*
PGN Staff, *Pride in Philly*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Jennifer Johnson, *Crime survivors pack courthouse*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Use of Photographs

Daily/Non-daily circ. 5,000 - 9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
The Sun Staff, *Best Use of Photos*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Taos News staff, *Taos News best use of photographs editions*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Brian Freiburger, *State Champs*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Journal-News, *Hillsboro, IL*
Staff, *Best Use Of Photography*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editions - Best Use of Photographs

Daily/Non-daily under 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Ethan Weston, staff, *Best use of photos: Buffalo Bulletin*

SECOND PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Antelope County News Staff, *Best Use of Photos*

THIRD PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*
Staff, *News Letter Journal*

HONORABLE MENTION

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
Cynthia Stimson Rj Morgan, Clifford Smith, Jackson Day, *Best use of photos*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

The Paper, *Morganton, NC*

Bill Poteat, *School board meetings no place for tent revival*

SECOND PLACE

The Cadet, *Yorktown, VA*

Cadet Russell Crouch '24, Cadet Dylan Palmer '24, Cadet Cody Bartmann '25, Cadet Jackson Creach '25, Cadet Adam Cioffi II '26, and Cadet Alex Dieffenbach '26., *Student journalists stand against repression of free speech*

THIRD PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*

Southwest Ledger Editorial Board, *Half-penny sales tax hike obvious choice for financing new water treatment plant*

HONORABLE MENTION

Royse City Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*

Kent Miller, *TCEQ should say no to concrete batch plant*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*
Diane Everson, *Transparency Editorial*

SECOND PLACE

Fort Bend Herald & Texas Coaster, *Rosenberg, TX*
Scott Reese Willey, *Humphrey lives the good life*

THIRD PLACE

The Green River Star, *Green River, WY*
Hannah Romero, *"Castle Rock Hospital District needs to be more accessible"*

HONORABLE MENTION

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
Matt Adelman, *Voters Deserve Voice*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
Tom Boney, Jr., *Supt.'s secret recordings are Nixon-esque*

SECOND PLACE

The Standard Banner, *Jefferson City, TN*
Dale Gentry, *City's strong-arm decision: More questions than answers*

THIRD PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Alicia Rivero, Liliana Anguiano, *Ongoing Corruption Poisons Our College*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Bill Tubbs, *Don't mess with our library*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

John Miller, *Taos News best editorial submissions*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Editorial staff, *Media inquiry policy*

THIRD PLACE

The News-Gazette, *Lexington, VA*

Ed Smith, *Book Battle at Lylburn Downing*

HONORABLE MENTION

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*

Johanna Love, Cindy Harger, Adam Meyer, Kevin Olson, *Increase penalties for Passholes*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial

Non-daily Division, circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Don Dodd, *City deserves better*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Don Dodd, *Heat and a hangover*

THIRD PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*
Jeremy Rodriguez, *Coming out to LGBTQ peers is just as challenging*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Brian Martin, *Wyoming leaders apparently want young people to leave*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Dave Dreeszen, *Hold contractor accountable for delay in jail opening*

THIRD PLACE

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Ned Seaton, *The banana republic just an hour south*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Ned Seaton, *The booze-tax shell game*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial Page(s)

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Taos News staff, *Taos News best editorial pages*

SECOND PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Brian Martin, *Wyoming Tribune Eagle Opinion Pages, April 14-15, 2023*

THIRD PLACE

The Pilot, *Southern Pines, NC*
John Nagy, David Woronoff, *The Pilot Best Editorial Page*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Editorial Page(s)

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Staff, *Best Editorial Pages*

SECOND PLACE

The N'West Iowa REVIEW, *Sheldon, IA*
Staff, *Editorial - Best Editorial Pages*

THIRD PLACE

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Staff, *Steele County Times Editorial Pages*

HONORABLE MENTION

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Rob Dump, Peggy Year, *Best Editorial Page - June 28 July 5*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Editorial - Best Original Editorial Cartoon

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Moonshine Ink, *Truckee, CA*
Mike English, *Local and Proud*

SECOND PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Edmundo Godinez, *Here's Looking at You, Kid*

THIRD PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Edmundo Godinez, *Black Hole of Student Debt*

HONORABLE MENTION

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Wayne Stroot, *Best editorial cartoon - Vet Memorial dedication*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

FOI - Freedom of Information

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Fort Bend Herald & Texas Coaster, *Rosenberg, TX*
Scott Reese Willey, *They Swipe A Lot*

SECOND PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Bill Tubbs, *Open records law applies to everyone*

THIRD PLACE

Fairbury Journal News, *Fairbury, NE*
Gordon Hopkins, *Shakeup On Jansen Village Board*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Bill Tubbs, *Seeds of Davenport disclosure were planted at North Scott*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

General Excellence

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*

WTE staff, *Wyoming Tribune Eagle, General Excellence, Daily Division*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Staff, *Sioux City Journal*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

General Excellence

Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Pam Morris, Mark Dee, Greg Foley, Tony Barriatua, and staff, *Idaho Mountain Express General Excellence*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Don Dodd and Examiner Staff, *The independent voice of Southeast Texas*

THIRD PLACE

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*

Park Cities People Staff, *General Excellence Park Cities People*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Pilot, *Southern Pines, NC*

Staff, *The Pilot's General Excellence*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

General Excellence

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *General Excellence*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Staff, *General Excellence*

THIRD PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*

Griffin Limerick, Heather Wright, Ashley Perks, *September 2023 Hyattsville Life & Times*

HONORABLE MENTION

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*

Staff, *Lake Oswego Review*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

General Excellence

Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Staff, *Buffalo Bulletin*

SECOND PLACE

Columbia Gorge News, *Columbia, OR*
Staff, *Columbia Gorge News*

THIRD PLACE

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
Staff, *General Excellence*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Staff, *North Scott Press*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

General Excellence

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

Glenrock Independent, *Douglas, WY*
Glenrock Independent Staff, *General Excellence*

SECOND PLACE

Henderson Independent, *Henderson, MN*
Rachel Miller, Beth Cornish, Mary Sherlock, *Henderson Independent - General Excellence*

THIRD PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*
Staff, *News Letter Journal*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher, *The Village Reporter - General*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

General Excellence, College Division

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
The Sun Staff, *General Excellence*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Legacy.com's Best Obituary Tribute

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Kay Fate, *Jean Zamboni*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Mark Huffman, *Old-time cowboy, mountain man 'Gator' dies at 79*

THIRD PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Sister Ann Kessler*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

News and Opinion on Public Corruption

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*

Mike W. Ray, *Fraud and Corruption discovered in Tryon*

SECOND PLACE

Fort Bend Herald & Texas Coaster, *Rosenberg, TX*

Scott Reese Willey, *THEY SWIPE A LO*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

NIE - Educational Support & Civic Literacy

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Tampa Bay Times, *Tampa, FL*

Jodi Pushkin, Stacy Rector, *Genocide in the 20th and 21st Centuries*

SECOND PLACE

The Eldon Advertiser, *Eldon, MO*

Tammy Witherspoon, *Democracy Day*

THIRD PLACE

The Eldon Advertiser, *Eldon, MO*

Tammy Witherspoon, *Veterans Project*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

NIE - Partnerships

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Tampa Bay Times, *Tampa, FL*
Sue Bedry, Stacy Rector, *History of Chocolate*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Staff, *NIE Campaign Partnership with the NM News Fund*

THIRD PLACE

Tampa Bay Times, *Tampa, FL*
Jodi Pushkin, Stacy Rector, *Be Vape/Smoke Free*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Breaking News Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

North Bend Eagle, *North Bend, NE*
Nathan Arneal, *Comfort amongst chaos*

SECOND PLACE

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Connor Choate, *Deadline accident*

THIRD PLACE

Royse City Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
Laurie White King, *Vehicle fire on I-30*

HONORABLE MENTION

Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
David Claybourn, *Storm expected to lose punch today*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Breaking News Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Frank Fennema, *Angels soar over Tiburon*

SECOND PLACE

Knox County News, *Bloomfield, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Organized Chaos*

THIRD PLACE

Westfield Leader, *Westfield, NJ*
Lauren S. Barr, *14 Hour Standoff*

HONORABLE MENTION

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Rick Bussler, *'She Believed in the Best in Everybody'*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Breaking News Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-14,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Nathan Burton, *Grim, chaotic, costly*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Brian Freiberger, *Kid in the rain*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Brian Freiberger, *10 acres burned in national park*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Brian Freiberger, *State Champs*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Feature Photo

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Tim Hynds, *Memorial Day preparations*

SECOND PLACE

The Wyoming Truth, *Laramie, WY*
Matt Stirn, *Northern Lights Over Wyoming*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Alyte Katilius, *Easy does it now!*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Feature Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-14,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Bradly J. Boner, *Their last chance*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Meakalia Previch-Liu, *GTB tribal member dancing center at Pow Wow*

THIRD PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Juliette Fradin, *Ice Cream Truck Vendor, May 2023 Hyattsville Life & Times*

HONORABLE MENTION

Lake Oswego Review, *Lake Oswego, OR*
J. Brian Monihan, *Down Memory Lane*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Feature Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Ethan Weston, *Boys of summer*

SECOND PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Erin M. Gentz, *Duane Miller of the Eldridge VFW salutes the American flag during the presentation of the colors.*

THIRD PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Ethan Weston, *Best friends*

HONORABLE MENTION

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Carl Cote, *Eastern Shoshone Powwow - top right, Pema Bullbear*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Feature Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
Cinthia Stimson, *Egg White Success*

SECOND PLACE

Powell Tribune, *Powell, WY*
Mark Davis, *River Crossing*

THIRD PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *No Way Santa*

HONORABLE MENTION

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Rick Bussler, *Child With Cow*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Feature Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*

Jeremy Buss, *Best feature photo - Swimming lessons touching the bottom*

SECOND PLACE

Glenrock Independent, *Douglas, WY*

Jackson Day, *Converse County Fair, Slip-Slidin' Away*

THIRD PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*

Amy Menerey, *Road rage*

HONORABLE MENTION

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*

Darin Epperly, *Best Feature photo - sledding*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Photo Essay

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 12,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Chad Cooper, *Scott Stapp of Creed*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Chad Cooper, *UBR Rodeo*

THIRD PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*
Kelly Burkhardt, *Drag performers are under attack under the country*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Downey Patriot, *Downey, CA*
Eric Pierce, *Downey Memes tries to capitalize on popularity with apparel line*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Photo Essay

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-11,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Morgan Timms, *Jackson family navigates rare cancer diagnosis*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Kathryn Ziesig, *Resilient Broncs*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Alyte Katilius, *Our Chance to Compete*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Nathan Burton, *'This one feels different'*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Photo Essay

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Carl Cote, *Pioneer Days action*

SECOND PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Carl Cote, *Hot air*

THIRD PLACE

Powell Tribune, *Powell, WY*
Carla Wensky, *Yellowstone Winter*

HONORABLE MENTION

Powell Tribune, *Powell, WY*
Carla Wensky, *The Nutcracker*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Photo Essay

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher, *Bundle Of Joy*

SECOND PLACE

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Rick Bussler, *Satisfaction Guaranteed for All*

THIRD PLACE

Oakland Independent, *Oakland, IL*
Janice Hunt, *Vietnam veterans honored*

HONORABLE MENTION

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Antelope County News Staff, *Clearwater Rodeo*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Sports Photo

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Alyte Katilius, *Right on the money*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Tim Hynds, *Dakota Valley loose ball*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Sports Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Washington Missourian, *Washington, MO*
Arron Husted, *Crashing Down*

SECOND PLACE

Washington Missourian, *Washington, MO*
Bill Battle, *Eyes on the Ball*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Chad Cooper, *Celebrating after a touchdown*

HONORABLE MENTION

Washington Missourian, *Washington, MO*
Bill Battle, *Air Ballou*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Sports Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 5,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Liam DeBonis, *Plenty of horsin' around*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Nathan Burton, *White Sox Taos Little League Majors*

THIRD PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*

Carl Cote, *Girls fight too*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Brian Freiburger, *Eagles upset Red Devils*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Sports Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-4,999

FIRST PLACE

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*
Scott Ramsey, *Kings of the Upset*

SECOND PLACE

The Standard Banner, *Jefferson City, TN*
Dennis Barker, Jr., *Game-winning celebration*

THIRD PLACE

Columbia Gorge News, *Columbia, OR*
NOAH NOTEBOOM, *HRV TOPPLES TD*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Ross Corsair, *Headed for Home*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Sports Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000 - 2,999

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Frank Fennema, *San Diego's Svajda clinches second straight crown at Tiburon Challenger*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Elliot Karlan, *Three-peat*

THIRD PLACE

Harlan News-Advertiser, *Harlan, IA*

Alex Martin, *Cyclones scratch and claw for 3rd consecutive victory*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*

Elizabeth Johnson, *Boys Wrestling*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Photo - Best Sports Photo

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Darin Epperly, *Best sports photo - mud game*

SECOND PLACE

Uinta County Herald, *Evanston, WY*
Don Cogger, *Just along for the ride (bull riding photo)*

THIRD PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Jacob Kessler, *Swimming Form*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Kemmerer Gazette, *Kemmerer, WY*
Don Cogger, *Down but not out*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Review - Best Review

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Anahy J. Gutierrez, *'Mugre' A Gratuitous, Machismo, Sexist, Mess Of A Play*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Bruce Miller, *One of the year's best*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Michele Caprario, *"Odyssey" shows hero's journey through female lens"*

HONORABLE MENTION

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*
Kersten Rettig, Preston Hollow People, *Best Review_Preston Hollow People Sept Pg 10_PH Man Pens Tribute to Bronco*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Rookie Reporter of the Year

Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Francisco Martinez, *Ark Rookie of the Year*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Kyle Leverone, *Kyle Leverone*

THIRD PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Marit Gookin, *Marit Gookin, Rookie Reporter of the Year, Riverton Ranger*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Journal-News, *Hillsboro, IL*
Isaiah Atkins, *Rookie of the Year*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Family Life Living Section Pages

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Leelanau Enterprise staff, *Leelanau on a Dime*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Staff, *Siouxland Life*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Kevin Hessel & Staff, *ArkBeat*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Amy Wendt, *Embracing The Unexpected*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Special News, Sports or Feature Section or Edition

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Brian Martin and Rachel Girt, *Community Connections 2023*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Ryan Timmerman, Dave Dreeszen, Jared McNett, Robyn Levine, Tim Hynds, Jesse Brothers, *Siouxland Football '23*

THIRD PLACE

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*
Rachel Snyder, Park Cities People, *Best Special Section_20 Under Forty 2023_Park Cities People*

HONORABLE MENTION

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*
Preston Hollow People, *Best Special Section_Preston Hollow People STEAM 2023*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Special News, Sports or Feature Section or Edition

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Paul Gutches, Michael Tashji, *Discover Taos Summer Magazine*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Paul Gutches, Michael Tashji, *Taos Aglow*

THIRD PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Iyarie Murguia, *Century of Sewage*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Ailyn Dumas, Nicolette Monique Luna, *Mexico's Women Fight Femicide*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Special News, Sports or Feature Section or Edition

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher, Jacob Kessler, *150 Years Of Fayette History*

SECOND PLACE

North Bend Eagle, *North Bend, NE*
Nathan Arneal, *The Dynasty Continues*

THIRD PLACE

Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
David Claybourn, Ashley Garey and Laurie White King, *End Zone football preview*

HONORABLE MENTION

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Antelope County News Staff, *Neligh's 150th Celebration*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Sports Section/Page

Daily & Non-daily Division circ. more than 10,000

FIRST PLACE

The Pilot, *Southern Pines, NC*
Jonathan Bym, *The Pilot Best Sports Section*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Ryan Timmerman, Dave Dreeszen, *Sioux City Journal*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Sports Section/Page

Daily & Non-daily Division circ. 3000-9000

FIRST PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Emily Ingco, Juan H. Estrada, *Best Sports Section*

SECOND PLACE

The N'West Iowa REVIEW, *Sheldon, IA*
Staff, *The N'West Iowa REVIEW*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Taos News staff, *Taos News best sports section/page*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Ross Shinberg, *North Scott Press*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Section - Best Sports Section/Page

Daily & Non-daily Division circ. less than 3000

FIRST PLACE

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Staff, *Steele County Times Best Sports Section*

SECOND PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*
Sonja Karp, Amy Menerey, *NLJ Sports*

THIRD PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Challenging Ourselves*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Journal, *Crosby, ND*
Jody Michael, *April 5, Sept. 13*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Social Media Journalism

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

ETV News, *Orangeville, UT*

Jamie Swank, *ETV News - Social Media Journalism*

SECOND PLACE

Selma Sun, *Selma, AL*

Cindy Fisher, Todd Prater, *Live Weekly Newscast on Social Media*

THIRD PLACE

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*

Connor Choate & Bryson Culwell, *Love County Coaches Show*

HONORABLE MENTION

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*

Staff, *Hosting an Event?*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story/Series - Best Coverage of Military Affairs

Daily/Non-daily circ. over 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Moonshine Ink, *Truckee, CA*

Juliana Demarest, *Coming Home*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Alan Campbell, *Leelanau vets and Camp Jejune*

THIRD PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Nick Hytrek, *The ship has sailed*

HONORABLE MENTION

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*

Randy Dockendorf, *Yankton Priest Reflects On His Military Deployment To The Middle East*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story/Series - Best Coverage of Military Affairs

Daily/Non-daily circ. under 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Fort Bend Herald & Texas Coaster, *Rosenberg, TX*
Scott Reese Willey, *ON BEHALF OF A GRATEFUL NATION...*

SECOND PLACE

Lahontan Valley News & Fallon Eagle Standard, *Fallon, NV*
Steve Ranson, *Romania: Eye on the Ukraine*

THIRD PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest Church, Jacob Kessler, Anna Wozniak, Amy Wendt, *Veterans Tribute*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Erin M. Gentz, *Back home at last*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Agricultural Story

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Alan Campbell, *Underpaid tarts*

SECOND PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Griffin Limerick, *Grazing goats tackle invasive plant species*

THIRD PLACE

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*
Liz Partsch, *Bee hives in Pittsburgh produce lanternfly honey*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Geoffrey Plant, *'It's a balancing act'*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Agricultural Story

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Brian PJ Cronin, Michael Turton, *Dire Warmings*

SECOND PLACE

The Journal, *Crosby, ND*
Sydney Glasoe Caraballo, *Protecting the planet from the ground up*

THIRD PLACE

Oakland Independent, *Oakland, IL*
Janice Hunt, *A legacy takes root*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*
Tristan McGough, *Tina Hinchley Dairy Story*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Breaking News Story

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Crofton Law Enforcement Controversy*

SECOND PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Hillcrest Country Club Lawsuits*

THIRD PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Hartington Murder Case*

HONORABLE MENTION

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Tabor Man Gets 21 Months For Church Wire Fraud*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Breaking News Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 12,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Gabe Barnard, *Structural rot found at Sun Valley condos, residents advised to vacate*

SECOND PLACE

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*

Rachel Wagoner, *Brunton Dairy loses barn and milk bottling plant in fire*

THIRD PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*

Jason Villemez, *Fairness Act passes PA House*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Jennifer Johnson, *Deadly drunk driver sentenced*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Breaking News Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-11,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Geoffrey Plant, John Miller and Nathan Burton, *Red River shooting*

SECOND PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*

Heather Wright and Sophie Gorman Oriani, *Cargo train derailment causes road closure, environmental concerns*

THIRD PLACE

Warwick Advertiser, *Chester, NY*

Molly Colgan & Victoria Hoffman, *Mayor dragged from moving truck in attempt to stop errant driver*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Meakalia Previch-Liu, *Northport icon leaves behind legacy of service*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Breaking News Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

Douglas Budget, *Douglas, WY*

Cynthia Stimson, *Stronger than a Tornado*

SECOND PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*

Leonard Sparks, *Train from Poughkeepsie to Croton in Eight Hours*

THIRD PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*

Mark Ridolfi, *Denise Benson Theft*

HONORABLE MENTION

Hickman County Times, *Centerville, TN*

Bradley A. Martin, William Hayes, *Rushing wind "and a big fireball"*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Breaking News Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Kay Fate, Rick Bussler, *Overpass Killing*

SECOND PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Not again: Semi blows past intersection*

THIRD PLACE

Uinta County Herald, *Evanston, WY*
Hayden Godrey, Bryon Glathar, *School bus stops and sex offenders: Should they be at the same address?*

HONORABLE MENTION

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Helicopter Crashes Into Field*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Feature Story

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Fryn' Pan 'Family' Celebrating 50 Years Of Service*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Mason Dockter, *The Bing at 100*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Ivy Secrest, *Woman-owned tech company strikes major opportunity*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*

Liz Partsch, *Pennsylvania cideries reinvent hard cider industry*

SECOND PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*

Jason Villemez, *The booksellers that built a community*

THIRD PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Andrew Guckes, *All you need is 'LUV': New air filtration system brings technology to Ketchum before anywhere else*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Liam Easley, *Local chefs discuss industry-wide substance use*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

The Standard Banner, *Jefferson City, TN*
Mark Brown, *A matter of life and death*

SECOND PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Erin M. Gentz, *Tuftee's Garden*

THIRD PLACE

Oakland Independent, *Oakland, IL*
Janice Hunt, *A legacy takes root*

HONORABLE MENTION

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Seth Taylor, *On the road*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Story

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Docketorf, *Labor Pains*

SECOND PLACE

The Wyoming Truth, *Laramie, WY*
CJ Baker, *Wyoming's Courtship of the Digital Asset Industry*

THIRD PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Jared McNett, *Arnolds Park mobile homeowners have 90 days to leave*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 15,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*

Kate Cough, *Small towns struggle to plan*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Liam Easley and John Miller, *Questa loses its only supermarket*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Meakalia Previch-Liu, *Cold temps bring ice wine harvest*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Geoffrey Plant, *Business owners outraged at \$25 minimum wage proposal*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Brian Freiburger, *Business high employees low*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*

Tomas Murawski, *Commissioners, Mebane city council looking at Transload facility*

SECOND PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*

Joey Asher, *Can Everyone Shop Main Street?*

THIRD PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*

Tomas Murawski, *Should county go to war with Big Box retailers after revaluation?*

HONORABLE MENTION

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*

Peder Schaefer, *All in a day's work*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Emily Lavin, *Marin Home Care named peninsula business of the year*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Emily Lavin, *Tiburon Laundroman will close its doors after three decades*

THIRD PLACE

The Green River Star, *Green River, WY*
Hannah Romero, *"Panel discusses new industrial projects"*

HONORABLE MENTION

Lahontan Valley News & Fallon Eagle Standard, *Fallon, NV*
Sara Dowling, *Pay It Forward*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Business Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*

Mike W. Ray, *MICHELIN CLOSING: Workers at Ardmore tire plant to receive separation benefits*

SECOND PLACE

The Red Hook Star-Review, *Brooklyn, NY*

George Fiala, Brian Abate, *The Royal Scam*

THIRD PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*

Jacob Kessler, Forrest R. Church, Publisher, *Fish Farm*

HONORABLE MENTION

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*

Trisha Benton, *Best Business story - minimum wage - Feb 8*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Education/Literacy Story

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

The Wyoming Truth, *Laramie, WY*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Caitlin Yamada, *Librarians 'vigilant' in book selections*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*

Samir Knox, *LCSD1 board approves library book policy*

HONORABLE MENTION

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*

Randy Dockendorf, *Avon Struggles With Teacher Resignation*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Education/Literacy Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Township Journal, *Chester, NY*
Molly Colgan, *The Bully System*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Jeannette Boner, *Students help each other try to end vaping addictions*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Liam Easley, *Turning up the heat*

HONORABLE MENTION

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Heather Marlene Zadig, *Clear backpacks, metal detectors come to PGCPs: Do they work?*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Education/Literacy Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Jeff Simms, *Confusion in the Classroom*

SECOND PLACE

The N'West Iowa REVIEW, *Sheldon, IA*
Aleisa Schat, *"Substitute Shortage"*

THIRD PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Camila A. Gonzalez, *Humanitarian Founded Schools In Tijuana Dumps*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Ewan Toledo, *Remedial Math, Eng Classes Are Gone For Good*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Environmental Story

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

College Park Here & Now, *Hyattsville, MD*
Rick Borchelt, *Spa in the spathe 2-2023 CPHN*

SECOND PLACE

Sparta Independent, *Chester, NY*
Becca Tucker and Kayla Hartigan, *Is that recyclable?*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Alan Campbell, *Whitefish catch doubles*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*
Tux Turkel, *50 years of an energy crisis*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Environmental Story

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Brian PJ Cronin, Michael Turton, *Dire Warmings*

SECOND PLACE

Opinion-Tribune, *Glenwood, IA*
Joe Foreman, *Mills County landfill gas being processed into renewable energy*

THIRD PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Alex Hargrave, *Timber sale in Circle Park promotes forest diversity*

HONORABLE MENTION

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Mussels On The Move*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Feature Series

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Barbara Davis, *Homes for the homeless*

SECOND PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Brian Freiburger, Meakalia Previch-Liu and Zachary Marano, *People of the Peninsula*

THIRD PLACE

San Fernando Valley Sun, *San Fernando, CA*

Samantha Raquel Norris, *Cruising*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Feature Series

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

Rockwall County Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
Kent Miller, *Stem Cell Transplant Series*

SECOND PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*
M. Scott Carter, *The hidden Watergate story*

THIRD PLACE

The N'West Iowa REVIEW, *Sheldon, IA*
Aleisa Schat, *"Homelessness & Housing"*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Journal, *Crosby, ND*
Brad Nygaard, Jordan Rusche, *Divide County School District new teachers*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Health Story

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Dolly Butz, *Challenges for dental patients*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

THIRD PLACE

San Fernando Valley Sun, *San Fernando, CA*
Cesar Arredondo, Diana Martinez, *A Mother's Long Struggle to Help Her Homeless Son*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*
Caitlin Andrews, *A Death of Choice*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Health Story

Daily & Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

FIRST PLACE

The Red Hook Star-Review, *Brooklyn, NY*
Brian Abate, *Asthma Series*

SECOND PLACE

The Green River Star, *Green River, WY*
Hannah Romero, *"Amazing technology:' Hospital celebrates new da Vinci robot"*

THIRD PLACE

Rockwall County Herald-Banner, *Greenville, TX*
Kent Miller, *She's Got Spirit*

HONORABLE MENTION

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Rick Bussler, *Still Fighting After 3 Cancer Bouts*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Investigative or In-Depth Story or Series

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Norfolk Daily News, *Norfolk, NE*
Daily News staff, *Protect the Pillar*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Nick Hytrek, *Michael Meredith shooting*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Jasmine Hall and Ivy Secrest, *The right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness: Do Wyoming LGBTQ+ youth have it?*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Investigative or In-Depth Story or Series

Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*
Samantha Hogan, *Maine's Part-Time Court*

SECOND PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*
Rose Lundy, *Maine's Long-Term Challenges*

THIRD PLACE

San Fernando Valley Sun, *San Fernando, CA*
Semantha Raquel Norris, Gabriel Arizon, *Drag Story Hour*

HONORABLE MENTION

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*
Rachel Wagoner, *Failure by design: leaking oil and gas wells slip through the cracks*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Investigative or In-Depth Story or Series

Non-daily Division, circ. 3,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Fort Bend Herald & Texas Coaster, *Rosenberg, TX*
SCOTT REESE WILLEY, *THEY SWIPE A LOT*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Kate Ready, *5-bed home, 9 occupants, 8 lawsuits*

THIRD PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
Kristy Bailey, *Toxic mold contamination in Alamance-Burlington schools, fall 2023*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Joey Asher, *Teaching Across the Spectrum*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Investigative or In-Depth Story or Series

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 3,000

FIRST PLACE

Fairbury Journal News, *Fairbury, NE*
Gordon Hopkins, *Toxic Workplace*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Katherine Martine, Kevin Hessel, *New captain to become Tiburon's first female police chief*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Francisco Martinez, Kevin Hessel, *Paradise Cay puts in private license-plate cams*

HONORABLE MENTION

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*
Mike W. Ray, *Chickasha Water Plant from Idea to Ballot*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Localized National Story

Daily

FIRST PLACE

The Wyoming Truth, *Laramie, WY*

Jacob Gardenswartz, *25 Years Later, Wyoming Still Grapples With Legacy of Matthew Shepard's Murder*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Jared McNett, *The Scientist and the Spy*

THIRD PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*

Randy Dockendorf, *Local Jewish Man Reflects On New Conflict, Old Issues*



Story-Series - Best Localized National Story

Non-daily Division, circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*

Rachel Snyder, Maria Lawson, Preston Hollow People, *Best Localized National Story_Preston Hollow People Dec Pg 10_I Really Want To Believe In Peace*

SECOND PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Gabe Barnard, *How would a government shutdown affect the Wood River Valley?*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Jennifer Johnson, *Fatalities multiply as fentanyl fills in for designer pills*

HONORABLE MENTION

Township Journal, *Chester, NY*

Becca Tucker, *For soup kitchen regulars, homeless census is more than a head count*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Localized National Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Liam Easley, *Egg shortage ruffles feathers*

SECOND PLACE

Warwick Advertiser, *Chester, NY*

Molly Colgan, *Snapping Out of It*

THIRD PLACE

Sparta Independent, *Chester, NY*

Becca Tucker, *'Bigots' vs. 'Groomers'*

HONORABLE MENTION

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*

Billy Arnold, Jasmine Hall, *Government shutdown could hit parks, tourism*



Story-Series - Best Localized National Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 6,000

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FIRST PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Kevin Hessel, *Tiburon sees lowest levels of crime in four decades*

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*

Jen Sieve-Hicks, *Local banks healthy*

TIE:

SECOND PLACE

The Sidell Reporter, *Sidell, IL*

Brett McMahon, *Battling Blindness*

Harlan Tribune, *Harlan, IA*

Elizabeth A. Elliott, *Local travel impacted by airline trouble*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*

Kevin Hessel, *Tiburon council is targeted by antisemitic 'Zoom-bombing'*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*

Ryan Baker, *Local man wins national tournament*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*

Randy Dockendorf, *Advocates Of Sage Brothers' Recognition Turn To Congress For Help*

SECOND PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*

Dolly Butz, *Heartbreaking mystery*

THIRD PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*

Randy Dockendorf, *A Historic Perspective*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 15,000 or more

FIRST PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*

Joyce Kryszak, *Ham radio operators air a grievance: Leave our hobby alone*

SECOND PLACE

The Downey Patriot, *Downey, CA*

Lorine Parks, *Downey Greek Festival Brings Back the Sun*

THIRD PLACE

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*

Josh Hickman, Preston Hollow People, *Best Non-Profile Feature Story_Preston Hollow People Oct Pg12_Trains at NorthPark May Be Cool*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Downey Patriot, *Downey, CA*

Lorine Parks, *Dia de los Muertos festival leaves a lasting impression*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 10,000-14,999

FIRST PLACE

San Fernando Valley Sun, *San Fernando, CA*

Maria Luisa Torres, *Organ Donor from Pacoima Saved and Touched the Lives of Many*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Barbara Davis, *Transforming the system*

THIRD PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Gabe Barnard, *At Warm Springs, resort rises to the 'challenge'*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Jennifer Johnson, *Bicycles and Bibles*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Sparta Independent, *Chester, NY*
Becca Tucker, *'It was 100% vengeful'*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Jasmine Hall, *Passing it down*

THIRD PLACE

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*
Alan Campbell, *Jesus in song*

HONORABLE MENTION

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Jessica Arends, *The game of bridge connects neighbors in Mount Rainier*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Alison Rooney, *Born to Be Wild*

SECOND PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Peder Schaefer, *Do the fandango*

THIRD PLACE

Hickman County Times, *Centerville, TN*
Bradley A.Martin, *A pre-war musical tour*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Nicolette Monique Luna, *Messengers of Heaven*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*
Tristan McGough, *Haunted Lincoln-Tallman House*

SECOND PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Remembering A Christmas Miracle*

THIRD PLACE

Lander Journal, *Lander, WY*
Sarah Squires, *Mayflower murder*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Emily Lavin, *Belvedere residents launches new space for Marin's teens*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Non-Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Joani Hartin, *Local family evicts unwanted guest*

SECOND PLACE

The Red Hook Star-Review, *Brooklyn, NY*
Erin DiGregorio, *Museum of Failurfe*

THIRD PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *41 Years Sober*

HONORABLE MENTION

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Joani Hartin, *Lost and found*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Performing Arts Story

Daily/Non-daily circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Bruce Miller, *Iowa's close-up*

SECOND PLACE

San Fernando Valley Sun, *San Fernando, CA*
Samantha Raquel Norris, *GR818ERS*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Will Carpenter, *Cheyenne's brimming with local music*

HONORABLE MENTION

Park Cities People, *Dallas, TX*
William Taylor, Park Cities People, *Best Performing Arts Story_Park Cities People_Apr Pg 12_Reluctant Tx Champs Dallas Arts*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Performing Arts Story

Daily/Non-daily circ. 5,000 - 9,999

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*

Randy Dockendorf, *Film About 19th Century Irish Priest Being Shot In The Tabor Area*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*

Lynne Robinson, *Flower Moons and Water Lilies: Patricia Michaels goes to Cannes*

THIRD PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*

Nicolette Monique Luna, *'Deportee' Still Haunts America*

HONORABLE MENTION

Leelanau Enterprise, *Lake Leelanau, MI*

Meakalia Previch-Liu, *TRASHion FASHion show*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Performing Arts Story

Daily/Non-daily under 5,000

FIRST PLACE

Henderson Independent, *Henderson, MN*
Rachel Miller, *Belle Plaine One Act Play*

SECOND PLACE

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Life Worthy Of Life*

THIRD PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Erin M. Gentz, *Tom's curtain call*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Jacob Kessler, *Bryan High School Theater Presents "Clue On Stage"*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Profile Feature Story

Daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Signing Off*

SECOND PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Honoring A Submariner*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Will Carpenter, *A rainy day in October*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Wyoming Truth, *Laramie, WY*
Jacob Gardenswartz, *Harriet Hageman's First 100 Days on Capitol Hill*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*

Rachel Wagoner, *Emily Mullen ushers family dairy farm into future by bottling milk*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Jennifer Johnson, *Inner city girl rises to global leader*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Barbara Davis, *Hope in the darkness*

HONORABLE MENTION

San Fernando Valley Sun, *San Fernando, CA*

Maria Luisa Torres, *San Fernando Native Celebrates 100th Birthday*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Billy Arnold, *Top climbing ranger retires after 30 years of high drama*

SECOND PLACE

Casa Grande Dispatch, *Casa Grande, AZ*
Rofida Khairalla, *12 lessons from a year of asking Pinal's People a simple question*

THIRD PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Geoffrey Plant, *Precision regulator*

HONORABLE MENTION

College Park Here & Now, *College Park, MD*
Braden Hamelin, *History Touches Down*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Standard Banner, *Jefferson City, TN*
Steve Marion, *Chairman of the boards*

SECOND PLACE

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Mark Ridolfi, *A Young Man and Fire*

THIRD PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
Charity L. Cohen, *Burlington grandsons now Navy pilots, one a 'top gun'*

HONORABLE MENTION

Eldridge North Scott Press, *Eldridge, IA*
Erin M. Gentz, *Tom's Curtain Call*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

The Green River Star, *Green River, WY*
Hannah Romero, "*The power of connection*"

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Deirdre McCrohan, *Tiburon resident cements her legacy as a pioneer among women in medicine*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Francisco Martinez, *Strawberry tennis legend turns 100*

HONORABLE MENTION

Washington Daily News, *Washington, NC*
Brownie Futrell, *Smoke on the Water*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Profile Feature Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

Southwest Ledger, *Elgin, OK*

M. Scott Carter, *Gaddie Out: Prominent Political Scientist Leaves OU after 25 years*

SECOND PLACE

News Letter Journal, *Newcastle, WY*

Walter Sprague, *Letting the Spirit take control*

THIRD PLACE

Oakland Independent, *Oakland, IL*

Janice Hunt, *A legacy takes root*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Cadet, *Yorktown, VA*

Adam Cioffi III '26, *Sun Li-Jen '27: A cadet until the end*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Feature Story or Series

Daily & Non-daily Division circ. more than 10000

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Jeremiah Johnke, *New chapter: Lain returns to dugout in Fort Collins*

SECOND PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Chad Cooper, *The ballad of Danny B and 'Dem Boys*

THIRD PLACE

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*
Todd Jorgenson, *Preston Hollow People, Best Sports Feature Story_Preston Hollow People Oct Pg 14_Defensive Lineman Tackles Multiple Roles*

HONORABLE MENTION

Farm and Dairy, *Salem, OH*
Rachel Wagoner, *Interest in youth trap shooting growing rapidly*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Feature Story or Series

Daily & Non-daily Division circ. 3000-9999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Billy Arnold, *Their last chance*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Sophia Boyd-Fliegel, *'Everesting' King*

THIRD PLACE

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Zach DeLoach, *GOT THEIR GOAT: Meet Gap Goat, the alleged key to K-State's defensive success*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Camila A. Gonzalez, *Tough But Fun-Loving Women Bring Roller Derby Back Around*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Feature Story or Series

Daily & Non-daily Division circ. less than 3000

FIRST PLACE

Henderson Independent, *Henderson, MN*
Rachel Miller, *Voice of the Valley*

SECOND PLACE

Steele County Times, *Blooming Prairie, MN*
Johnnie Phillips, *Robb Fights Back from Rare Infection*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Francisco Martinez, *Strawberry tennis legend turns 100*

HONORABLE MENTION

Stanton Register, *Stanton, NE*
Carrie Pitzer, *Late Coach Leaves Lasting Memories*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Story

Daily

FIRST PLACE

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan, *Yankton, SD*
Randy Dockendorf, *Santee Basketball Goes To State*

SECOND PLACE

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Zach DeLoach, *LAST STOP: K-State ends year with Elite 8 loss to FAU*

THIRD PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Matt Atencio, *Diversity helps South soccer*

HONORABLE MENTION

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Dave Dreeszen, *Triumph and disappointment*



Story-Series - Best Sports Story

Non-daily Division, circ. over 10,000

FIRST PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*

Andrew Guckes, *"Look at me: I'm lucky." How Mike Vowels faced his past trauma, and rediscovered his love for skiing*

SECOND PLACE

Preston Hollow People, *Dallas, TX*

Todd Jorgenson, *Preston Hollow People, Best Sports Story_Preston Hollow People Dec Pg 16_Parish Lineman Cultural Roots*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*

Chad Cooper, *A vision for Lamar Athletics*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 6,000-9,999

FIRST PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Kyle Leverone, *Miles High*

SECOND PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Mark Baker, *Parents dished assist for basketball coach's ouster*

THIRD PLACE

Hyattsville Life & Times, *Hyattsville, MD*
Chris McManes, *DeMatha runner wins WCAC cross country championship*

HONORABLE MENTION

Brentwood Press, *Brentwood, CA*
Jeff Weisinger, Staff Writer, *Muse looks forward to 'the next level'*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 4,000-5,999

FIRST PLACE

The Alamance News, *Graham, NC*
Bob Sutton, *Rules required coach's ejection*

SECOND PLACE

Columbia Gorge News, ,
Noah Noteboom, *Embrace Disability*

THIRD PLACE

Columbia Gorge News, *Columbia, OR*
Noah Noteboom, *HRV GRADS SET NEW HEIGHTS*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Joey Asher, *Unified on the Court*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Story

Non-daily Division, circ. 2,000-3,999

FIRST PLACE

Antelope County News, *Neligh, NE*
Jenny Higgins, *From Paralyzed To State Champion*

SECOND PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Francisco Martinez, *Tiburon man takes tennis crown at world masters tournament*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Francisco Martinez, *San Diego's Svajda clinches second straight crown at Tiburon Challenger*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Edgerton Reporter, *Edgerton, WI*
Sam Martino, *Pins (300) fall for prep bowler Shawn Simdars*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Best Sports Story

Non-daily Division, circ. less than 2,000

FIRST PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*

Nate Calvin, Sports Director, *Edgerton's Kayt Timbrook Reaches 1,000 Career Digs*

SECOND PLACE

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*

Joani Hartin, *A heartbreaking loss*

THIRD PLACE

Opinion-Tribune, *Glenwood, IA*

Joel Stevens, *The Accidental Fighter*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Journal, *Crosby, ND*

Brad Nygaard, *Junior Gold hopes to defend state title this week*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Communication in Crisis

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Selma Sun, *Selma, AL*

Cindy Fisher, Todd Prater, Brad Fisher, *Communication in Crisis -- Tornado Recovery*

SECOND PLACE

Moonshine Ink, *Truckee, CA*

Julie Brown, Alex Hoeft, Melissa Siig, *Housing Crisis*

THIRD PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*

Staff of The Maine Monitor, *Lewiston mass shootings*

HONORABLE MENTION

Lahontan Valley News & Fallon Eagle Standard, *Fallon, NV*

Steve Ranson, Sara Dowling, *Flooding*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Preserving Local History

Daily/Non-daily circ. over 9,000

FIRST PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*
Jason Villemez, *The booksellers that built a community*

SECOND PLACE

The Maine Monitor, *Hallowell, ME*
Joyce Kryszak, *Saving the halls and granges that house so much of our heritage*

THIRD PLACE

The Examiner, *Beaumont, TX*
Jennifer Johnson, *Fields of cotton, dreams & perseverance*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Manhattan Mercury, *Manhattan, KS*
Megan Moser, *'Wildkittens': 50 years after Title IX, a look back at women's sports at K-State*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Preserving Local History

Daily/Non-daily circ. 5,000 - 8,999

FIRST PLACE

Riverton Ranger, *Riverton, WY*
Sarah Squires, *'White Robe' celebrates Roberts*

SECOND PLACE

The Southwestern College Sun, *Chula Vista, CA*
Juan H. Estrada, *Seeking Congressional Stamp of Approval*

THIRD PLACE

Jackson Hole News&Guide, *Jackson, WY*
Jasmine Hall, *R Lazy S Ranch celebrates 75th anniversary*

HONORABLE MENTION

Moonshine Ink, *Truckee, CA*
David Fenimore, *The Birth of Tahoe Nordic Search & Rescue*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Preserving Local History

Daily/Non-daily circ. 2,500-4,999

FIRST PLACE

The Standard Banner, *Jefferson City, TN*
Steve Marion, Mark Brown, *Standard Banner preserving history*

SECOND PLACE

Buffalo Bulletin, *Buffalo, WY*
Alex Hargrave, *Historian finds manuscript*

THIRD PLACE

The Ark, *Tiburon, CA*
Dave Gotz, *History Scrapbook*

HONORABLE MENTION

Laurel Independent, *Hyattsville, MD*
Sophie Gorman Oriani, *Major fossil discovery at Dinosaur Park*



2024 NNAF Editorial & Advertising Contest
List of Winners

Story-Series - Preserving Local History

Non-Daily Circ under 2500

FIRST PLACE

Cedar County News, *Hartington, NE*
Staff, *Preserving local history - Pages of History, Archives pg, Museum, Trin Luth*

SECOND PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Jacob Kessler, *150 Years Of Fayette, Ohio History*

THIRD PLACE

The Village Reporter, *Montpelier, OH*
Forrest R. Church, Publisher; Rebecca Miller, *185-Year-Old Historic Cabin Has Deteriorated Past The Point Of Restoration*

HONORABLE MENTION

Marietta Monitor, *Marietta, OK*
Joani Hartin & Connor Choate, *Rural Churches in Love County*



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Video Journalism

Daily & Non-daily Division

FIRST PLACE

Wyoming Tribune Eagle, *Cheyenne, WY*
Alyte Katilius, *Our Chance to Compete*

SECOND PLACE

The Taos News, *Taos, NM*
Nathan Burton, Geoffrey Plant and John Miller, *Portrait of a newspaper cartoonist*

THIRD PLACE

Brentwood Press, *Brentwood, CA*
Jeff Weisinger, Reporter and Andrew Rulloda, Visual Media & Writer, *Seniors learn self defense - using their canes*

HONORABLE MENTION

State Port The Pilot, *Southport, NC*
Michael Paul, *Walker Jenkins picked No. 5 in MLB draft*



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Website - Best Newspaper Website

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FIRST PLACE

Sioux City Journal, *Sioux City, IA*
Staff, *siouxcityjournal.com*

SECOND PLACE

Idaho Mountain Express, *Ketchum, ID*
Pam Morris, Greg Foley, Gabe Barnard, Tony Barriatua, and staff, www.mtexpress.com

THIRD PLACE

Philadelphia Gay News, *Philadelphia, PA*
PGN Staff, *Philadelphia Gay News*

HONORABLE MENTION

The Highlands Current, *Cold Spring, NY*
Staff, *Highlandscurrent.org*